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FOR RENT—Rooms—Furnished front room down stairs, hall entrance, furnace heat, \$2 per week. Address J. H. Democrat office. 201-17

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FOR SALE—By Brouse & Hollinger: 49 acre farm near Avonport, 7 room house, barn, plenty of fruit, spring water, all good land, will trade for city property.

20 acres, near the city, good buildings, nice garden land, \$2500.
9 acres, near North Howard st., \$2800.

4 1/2 acres, near Fairlawn, good bank barn, \$1400.
3 acres near Tallmadge Center, 7 room house and other buildings, \$1300.
66 acres four miles from Akron, 7 room house, barn and everything to make a complete farm.

We have a number of other places to sell. See us.
226 South Main st.
BROUSE & HOLLINGER. 215

FOR SALE by J. I. Bachtel, 188 S. Howard st., Phone 722:
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10 rooms, 108 Falor, close to Main, see it at once, at \$1500
153 West South, 5 rooms, 1-4 acre, barn, very cheap, at \$1100.
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Money loaned at lowest rates. 207-17

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FOR SALE—Two building lots near the new Miller school and Fourth Church of Christ A bargain. Address, Real Estate, care Democrat. 78-17

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Best quality of baled hay, corn, oats, and ground feed, chicken feed, oil meal, etc. Best prices paid for grain, etc.

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Christmas Singers.

We are making special Christmas offers on some of our sewing machines. Sewing machines from \$10 up. A Singer machine makes a useful Christmas present. Store open every evening. Call and see them. The Singer Mfg. Co. 227 W. Market st. P. E. Stirling, manager. 207-210

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WANTED—Packing and storing. Furniture a specialty. Kratz's Furniture Store, 149 S. Howard st. People's phone 642. Sept. 24, 1900-17

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The Penn Mutual Life Insurance company issue the best contract at lowest rates.

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Meals served at all hours. Fine imported and domestic Wet Goods and Cigars. Under Central Savings Bank.
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Hacks leave Barborton 9:30 a. m., and 4:45 p. m.
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House Wiring and Repair Work.
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DEPOSITS
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Paid on certificates of deposit and savings accounts.

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If you need money, you can borrow from us at most reasonable rates and on most favorable terms.

P. P. BOCK & CO.

229 South Howard Street

The Democrat prints the news, both local and foreign.

THANKFUL

For Blessings at the Falls.

Paved Streets Regarded a Vast Improvement.

(Special Correspondence.)

Cuyahoga Falls, Dec. 27.—The residents of this place look back at the condition of the streets in December of other years, and are doing a great deal of congratulating because of the fact that the principal streets of the town have been paved. Formerly the mud on Front st. made that thoroughfare almost impassable, and farmers' equipages, especially those which were loaded, had difficulty in getting to the mills or to the stores.

The Second st. pavement, which is not yet complete, will be finished as soon as possible in the spring, and parts of it will be relaid. The work that was done in the fall was finished as hurriedly as possible, as a makeshift, and members of the municipal organizations realized at that time that some of the work would have to be done again.

Drillers Delayed.

Mr. Stephen Markham, who will open up the two wells of the old Loomis salt plant at Halo, for the Colonial Salt Co., has been delayed for more than a week by the inability of the

FISH AND OYSTERS.

Oysters and Clams at the Edson Fish Market
BOTH PHONES

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A. ADAMSON
FOUNDRY, MACHINE and PATTERN WORKS.
PATTERN WORK
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Let us Figure on Your Next Job.
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Prices reasonable. Prompt service.
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Regular Price
Full suits, sponged and pressed...75c
Overcoats, sponged and pressed...50c
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Cleaning business suits...\$2.00
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The Dickson Transfer Co.
Coal, Transfer and Livery.
Packing, Moving and Storing of Goods. Couches, Caskets and Carriages for funerals, weddings, parties and callings.
Offices Nos. 123-125 Carroll st., tel. 806. No. 116 N. High st., tel. 428.

WANTED—SITUATIONS.

WANTED—Position by boy 16 years old, inside preferred. Can make himself generally useful. Address, Homer, care Democrat. 17

BANKS.

WHEN SICKNESS COMES, it is a handy thing to have a bank account to fall back upon. Three per cent interest on time deposits. Separate department for ladies. Central Savings bank, corner Mill and Main sts.

SEWING SCHOOL

Room 49, Central Office building. Bring material for dresses and make them while learning. Terms—50c a day, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Evening class, 7 to 9 p. m. Cutting and fitting taught. 212-17

BRUSHES AND BROOMS.

CASPER ZINTEL
Manufacturer of all kinds of Brushes
Orders promptly attended to.
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PERSONAL.

The Weak Grow Strong on "Walther's Peptonized Port"

It is a tonic and beverage and a food combined.
A pure port wine is both food and drink. The peptin tones the stomach and bowels, assisting nature in the digesting process. WALTHER'S PEPTONIZED PORT is rich and healthful. Everyone likes it because it is perfectly free from any bitter or medicinal taste or smell.

For Weakness and Exhaustion

For a general "run down" condition, for slow recovery from short or protracted illness, patients requiring an invigorating tonic. A tonic that is not only dependable medicine but also a nourishing food.

Physicians Prescribe Walther's Peptonized Port

for tired, overworked, fagged-out men or women and sickly children, for they know there is nothing better on earth than Walther's Peptonized Port to tone and strengthen the stomach, to build up the shattered nerves and impaired blood, to eradicate dyspepsia symptoms, to promote a keen, growing appetite and make the duties and pleasures of life worth the undertaking.

All the leading and up-to-date druggists are authorized to guarantee Walther's Peptonized Port:

PINTS 50c
QUARTS \$1.00
SMALL SIZE 10c

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MACHINE DESIGNING
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HAND-TURNING of every description; architects' designs given special attention. E. M. Weygandt, 225 W. Market st. People's phone 197. Res. 347. 296-17

LOST.

LOST—A lady's black leather pocket-book, containing some currency and valuable papers. Lost either in Black Bear hat store or on street cars. Reward offered if returned to Democrat office. 214-216

LOST—A lady's brown woolen shawl, lost on Wooster ave. Tuesday night. Finder please return to 131 Wooster ave. and receive reward. 215-217

AFTER J. D.'S CASH.

Oberlin College Has \$59,000 Yet to Raise.

Oberlin, O., Dec. 27.—An important meeting of the trustees of Oberlin college is in session here today, to consider the prospects for raising the balance of the \$90,000 necessary to procure the provisional gift of \$200,000 from John D. Rockefeller. At the last report there was still \$59,000 yet to raise, and this must be done by next Tuesday night or the college will lose the best chance it ever had to add a half-million to its endowment. Considering the amount of money yet to be raised and the very short time left in which to obtain it, there is considerable apprehension concerning the outcome.

ON THE TREE

She Placed the Presents, Then Ended Her Life.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—The last act of Mrs. Lena Bartel before she went to the lake to kill herself was to arrange her two children's Christmas tree and place some trinkets in their stockings hanging beside the tree.

This fact was brought out at an inquest. Ernst Bartel, her husband, testified that his wife had been ill with the grip and was despondent. At 7 o'clock Wednesday morning Bartel arose and was soon followed by his wife. She then arranged the Christmas gifts for the children, and putting on a small shawl said she was going to the store to purchase food for breakfast. She did not return. At 11 o'clock the body of the woman was found in the lake at the foot of Surf street.

AKRON MARKETS.

(These prices furnished daily by J. Kryder & Sons.)
BUYING PRICES.

Wheat, per bu., \$4 to 50c.
Rye, per bu., 60c.
Oats, per bu., 45 to 50c.
Corn, new, 30 to 33c.
Timothy seed, per bu., \$2.50 to \$2.75.

Clover seed, per bu., \$4, \$5.

Hay, baled, \$10 to \$12.

Straw, baled, \$5 to \$6.

SELLING PRICES.

Oats per bu., 53 to 55c.

Corn, new, per bu., 38, 40c.

Brass, per cwt., \$1.25.

Middlings, per cwt., \$1.35, \$1.40.

Hay, per cwt., 70c, 75c.

Straw, per bale, 40c, 50c.

(These prices furnished daily by Jas. Christy Jr. & Co.)

Green calf hides, No. 1, per lb. 9c.

Green beef hides, No. 1, per lb. 7c.

Sheep pelts, 15-40.

Tallow per lb. 4 1/2c.

(These prices furnished daily by Armour & Co.)

Sugar cured hams, 10% to 11.

Skipped hams, 11%.

California hams, 8 to 8 1/2c.

Bacon, 10% to 11c.

Dried beef, 11c to 14c.

Simon pure lard in tierces, 11%.

Country kettle lard, in tierces, 10%.

Compound lard, in tierces, 8 1/2c.

60 lb. tubs, 1 1/2c over tierces.

Dressed beef, 6 to 8 1/2c.

Dressed calves, 9c to 9 1/2c.

Dressed hogs, 7 1/2 to 7 3/4c.

Cattle, live, \$2.50, \$4.75.

Sheep, \$3 to \$4.75.

Hogs, 5 1/2 to 6.

Spring lambs, dressed, 9 1/2c.

Spring lambs, live 4 to 4 1/2c.

(These prices furnished daily by Nelson Brothers.)

BUYING PRICES.

Eggs, strictly fresh, per doz. 23, 30c.

Chickens, live, per lb. 7c to 8c.

Butter, creamery, per lb. 28c.

Potatoes, per bu., 80c to 90c.

RETAIL PRICES.

Eggs, strictly fresh, per doz. 32.

Chickens, dressed, per lb. 10 to 12 1/2c.

Butter, creamery, per lb. 32c.

Potatoes, 30c pk.

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WEDDING.

Prominent Social Affair at Peninsula.

(Special Correspondence.)

Peninsula, Dec. 25.—Mr. and Mrs. J. Case and Mrs. Anna Cran, of Akron, visited Mrs. Mary Robinson, Saturday.

Mr. C. A. Hatch was in Akron Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Thomas spent Christmas in Cleveland.

Mr. Fred Bishop, who is a student at the Ohio Wesleyan University, is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bishop.

Dr. and Mrs. W. N. Boerstler and family left for Warren, Tuesday, to spend Christmas with relatives.

Mr. C. Bean, who has been ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Ingerton, is convalescing.

Mr. Archie T. Cassidy, who has been spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Cassidy, returned to Toledo Sunday night.

Mr. J. T. Seaback left for Ashtabula Tuesday, to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Johnson. He was accompanied by Miss Amy and Master Henry Thomas, grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson.

Mr. Will Myron, Miss Nell Mourn, Miss Nellie Myron and Miss Theresa Cassidy left Tuesday for Pittsburgh, where they will visit relatives and friends during the holidays.

Mrs. Mary Robinson was in Akron Tuesday.

Mr. Gilbert Stump, teacher of the

grammar department of our school, will spend his vacation at his home in Manchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed McGinnis, of Mantua, are spending their Christmas at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Cassidy.

A very pretty home wedding was celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hatch, on Christmas day, when their only daughter, Miss Stella M., one of Peninsula's most popular young ladies, was married to Dr. E. J. Williams, of Clinton. The ceremony took place at high noon, under an arch of holly and mistletoe. Rev. Mr. Alling, of the M. E. church, officiating. The bride was dressed in white swiss, and carried a bouquet of white carnations. When congratulations were over the guests sat down to a sumptuous dinner, after which a very social afternoon was passed. Only the immediate relatives and friends were present. The house was beautifully trimmed with holly and potted plants. The presents were numerous and elegant. Mr. and Mrs. Williams left on the 7:45 train, over the C. T. & V., for Clinton, where they will be at home to friends after Jan. 1.

WHAT NEXT!!!

Why Ajar Cold Cure. No effect on the heart. No special effect on the bowels. No unpleasant effect. A Y W H E R E. Prevents Pneumonia, cures the Grip.

HARFINA SOAP
is made from pure vegetable oil and being medicated with the most powerful germicides, keeps the pores open and makes the skin soft and velvety. Cures pimples, blotches, etc. Use it for the face, hands, and body. It is the best soap for the skin and for the laundry.

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